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Title: METHODS, APPARATUS AND DATA STRUCTURES FOR

SEGMENTING CUSTOMERS USING AT LEAST A PORTION OF A LAYER 2 ADDRESS HEADER OR BITS IN THE

PLACE OF A LAYER 2 ADDRESS HEADER

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SIR:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 1, 2001 (Paper No. 7), which set a period for response to expire on January 1, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Please replace claim 1 with the following:

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